reported by ICMR, the IDVC project was approved in 1985 by the then Prime Minister of India and was sanctioned for continuation till the end of the VIII Plan, i.e. March 1997. Beyond this date, the Project has been continuing on a year to year basis after getting appropriate approvals upto 1999-2000. The funds allocated to the project is reported to have been fruitfully utilised by ICMR.

The recommendations of the Rudrappa Committee, with regard to the permanency or otherwise of the mega projects being run by ICMR, including Integrated Disease Vector Control Project were placed before the Scientific Advisory Board in its recent meeting held in April, 2000, whose recommendation, when received, will be taken into account to decide the issue.

Primary health centres in Rajasthan

5077. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number and details of primary health Centres/hospitals/ dispensaries proposed to be set up in the desert and tribal areas of Rajasthan during the next three years;

(b) the places identified so far for establishment of those Health Centres and hospitals during 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 in above mentioned areas, indicating budgetary allcoations made therefor, year-wise; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI NT. SHANMUGAM); (a) to (c) The Primary Health Centres in desert and tribal areas have already been establishment as per the norms. Therefore, there is no proposal to set up Primary Health Centres in the desert and the tribal areas of Rajasthan during next three years.

Health care Centres

5078. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the number of healthcare centres in the country is inadequate to meet the situation as per population;

(b) if so, whether the Union Government have not even utilized the grants received from international agencies, including Work Bank, for health care programmes;

(c) if so, whether Government propose to set up more health care centres in the country, particularly in rural areas, in the near future; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM): (a) Yes, Sir. There is some shortage in the number of health care centres in the country.

(b) Various Health Care Projects/Programme are under implementation *in* the country with the World Bank asssistance. The amount recieved from the World Bank and other International donor agencies is being fully and properly utilised.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The state have been given targets to establish Sub-Centres, Primary Health Centres and Community Health Centres under Ninth Plan as per statement.

STATEMENT

Ninth Plan (1997-2002) and Annual Targets for the year 1999-2000 for the establishment of Sub-Centres, PHCs and CHCs

SL No.	States/ UTs	Sub-Centres		PHCs		CHCs	
		Ninth Plan target	Annual Target (1999-2000)	Ninth Plan target	Annual target (1999-2000)	Ninth Plan target	Annual target (1999-2000)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Andhra Pradesh	0	0	372	93^	220	55
2	Arunchal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Assam	0	0	107	27	76	19
4	Bihar	1026	257	428	107	511	128
5	Goa	0	0	5	1	1	0
6	Gujarat	0	0	68	17	71	18
7	Haryana	183	46	16	4	39	10
8	Himachal Pr.	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	J&K	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Karnataka	0	0	0	0	26	7
11	Kerala	0	0	0	0	100	25
12	Madhya Pr.	184	46	206	52	307	77
13	Maharashtra	808	202	61	15	135	34

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	Manipur	0	10	0	0	0	0
15	Meghalaya	87	22	0	0	6	2
16	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Nagaland	81	20	21	'5	9	2
18	Orissa	447	112	0	0	108	27
19	Punjab	6	1	0	0	14	4
20	Rajasthan	0	0	0	0	51	13
21	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	2	1
22	Tamil Nadu	0	0	0	0	237	59
23	Tripura	42	11	40	10	13	3
24	Uttar Pradesh	2184	546	0	0	621	155
25	West Bengal	2483	621	170	43	342	86
26	A&N Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Chandigarh	1	1	2	1	0	0
28	D&N Haveli	6	2	1	0	2	1
29	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Delhi	148	37	24	6	8	2
31	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	Pondicherry	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL	INDIA	7686	1922	1521	380	2903	726

Additional charge to a doctor

5079. SHRI KHAN GHUFRAN ZAHIDI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Adviser (ISM&H) has been given the charge of Medical Superintendent, Ayurvedic Hospital, in addition to his present charge, namely Adviser, ISM and Director, Indian Council of Research in Ayurveda;

(b) whether holding of so many charges simultaneously by a Doctor would badly affect efficiency and discharge of duties;

(c) the criteria adopted in bestowing-so many charges on him; and

(d) whether some other doctors are / were eligible for being appointed as M.S. of the Hospital: if so, the details thereof and the reasons for not considering them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM): (a) As an interim arrangement. Adviser (Ayurveda) has been given the additional charge of the